

U.S. Department of Commerce, Patent and Trademark Office (PTO Form 1449 modified)				Docket No. APPM/4213.P1		Serial No. 10/024,958	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICATION MAY 24 2002				Applicant Buie, et al.		Confirmation No.: Unknown	
(Use several sheets if necessary)				Filing Date December 18, 2001		RECEIVED Group Unknown MAY 29 2002	
Examiner Unknown							
U.S. Patent Documents							
*Examiner Initial		Document Number	Issue Date	Applicant(s) Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate TECHNICAL FIELD R3700
K-cc	A1	4,504,574	03/12/1985	Meyer, et al.	430	331	05/20/1983
K-cc	A2	5,773,199	06/30/1998	Linliu, et al.	430	316	09/09/1996
K-cc	A3	6,007,732	12/28/1999	Hashimoto, et al.	216	47	05/05/1997
K-cc	A4	6,033,979	03/07/2000	Endo	438	622	01/10/1997
K-cc	A5	6,037,265	03/14/2000	Mui, et al.	438	719	02/12/1998
K-cc	A6	6,080,529	06/27/2000	Ye, et al.	430	318	10/19/1998
K-cc	A7	6,114,250	09/05/2000	Ellingboe, et al.	438	709	08/17/1998
K-cc	A8	6,214,637	04/10/2001	Kim, et al.	438	72	04/27/2000
K-cc	A9	6,251,217	06/26/2001	Ye, et al.	156	345	01/27/1999
Foreign Patent Documents							
*Examiner Initial		Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation
							YES
K-cc	B1	60-016422	01-28-1985	JP	C01L	21/30	<input type="checkbox"/> Abstract <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
							<input type="checkbox"/>
							<input type="checkbox"/>
OTHER ART							
*Examiner Initial		Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.					
Examiner		<i>K. C. Jackson</i>			Date Considered /0-1-03		
*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with your communication to applicant.							

O'RCY JCC
JUL 09 2002
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

U.S. Department of Commerce, Patent and Trademark Office (PTO Form 1449 modified)		Docket No. APPM/4213.P1	Serial No. 10/024,958
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT		Applicant Buie, et al.	Confirmation No.: 3439
(Use several sheets if necessary)		Filing Date December 18, 2001	Group 3723
	Examiner Unknown		

U.S. Patent Documents

*Examiner Initial		Document Number	Issue Date	Applicant(s) Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
K-cc	A1	5,994,235	11/30/1999	O'Donnell	438	720	06/24/1998
	A2						
	A3						
	A4						
	A5						
	A6						
	A7						
	A8						
	A9						
	A10						
	A11						
	A12						
	A13						

Foreign Patent Documents

*Examiner Initial		Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation	
							YES	NO
K-cc	B1	27 01 458	07-21-1977	DE	G03C	5/48	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K-cc	B2	62-181433 (Abs)	08-08-1987	JP	H01L	21/302	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
K-cc	B3	60-219748 (Abs)	11-02-1985	JP	H01L	21/302	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

OTHER ART

*Examiner Initial		Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.
K-cc	C1	Search Report for PCT/US01/19282, dated May 31, 2002
	C2	
	C3	

Examiner Date Considered 10-1-03

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with your communication to applicant.